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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PBOR, CO, NU

SUBJECT: QUITA SUENO TREATY

REF: (A) STATE 172378; (B) BOGOTA 6834

1. AN EXPLICIT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT BY THE DEPT THAT THE QUITA SUENO TREATY IS DEAD WOULD PROVOKE JUBILATION AMONG FORNMIN PERSONNEL AND A SMALL GROUP OF OTHER SAVANTS AS WELL AS PRESS STORIES INDICATING VINDICATION OF NICARAGUA'S LONG STATED JURIDICAL POSITION AND PRAISE FOR THE U.S. CONGRESS FOR HAVING AVERTED AN INJUSTICE TO NICARAGUA.

2. THE ONLY ADVANTAGE TO SUCH A DECISION WOULD BE TO BREAK THE DEADLOCK ON THE STATUS OF THE CAYS AND PERHAPS PROVOKE A COLOMBIAN-NICARAGUAN DIALOGUE (OR A TRI-PARTITE DIALOGUE) WITH A VIEW TO DEFINITELY RESOLVING THE ISSUE. A POTENTIAL FOR CONFLICE EXISTS IN TERMS OF CURRENT PETROLEUM EXPLORATION IN THE AREA OF THE CAYS.

3. WITHOUT SUCH A RESOLUTION, AND IF PETROLEUM COMPANIES WERE TO TRY TO DEVELOP PETROLEUM DEPOSITS, HARRASSMENT AND POSSIBLE VIOLENCE COULD OCCUR. HOWEVER, EMB BELIEVES IT IS MORE LIKELY THAT PETROLEUM COMPANIES WOULD AVOID AN INITIATIVE WHICH WOULD ENDANGER THEIR PERSONNEL AND EQUIPMENT. IF THERE IS NO MOVEMENT ON THE ISSUE OF PETROLEUM EXPLOITATION, OUR PERSPECTIVE IS THAT THE UNRATIFIED

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TREATY IS SIMPLY AN UNTIDY BIT OF FOREIGN RELATIONS.
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